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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the Final Office Action of July 28, 2005, please amend the
above-captioned application without prejudice as follows:

Amendments to the Specification do not appear in this paper.

Amendment to the Claims are found in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this
paper.

Amendments to the Drawings do not appear in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.